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# COLORED ROMAN CANDLES.

Each candle contains assorted colored stars. Fire from the hand holding candle below the middle with lower end exposed.

| | Per Gross. |
|---|---|
| 2 star, ¼ gross in a package | $ 2 50 |
| 3 " ¼ " " | 3 50 |
| 4 " ¼ " " | 5 00 |
| 6 " 1 dozen " | 9 00 |
| 8 " 1 " " | 11 50 |
| 6 " large, 1 dozen in package | 14 00 |
| 8 " " 1 " " | 15 00 |
| 10 " " 1 " " | 16 00 |
| 12 " " 1 " " | 25 00 |
| 15 " " 1 " " | 36 50 |
| 20 " " 1 " " | 53 50 |
| 25 " " 1 " " | 84 00 |
| 30 " " 1 " " | 120 00 |

# EXTRA LARGE COLORED EXHIBITION CANDLES.

Candles extra size, and every star of extra fine colors—red, white, blue and green.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 6 star, 1 dozen in package | $ 2 50 |
| 8 " 1 " " | 3 25 |
| 10 " 1 " " | 4 00 |
| 12 " 1 " " | 5 00 |
| 15 " 1 " " | 6 25 |
| 20 " 1 " " | 8 50 |

# ELECTRIC SPREADER CANDLES.

Each star fills the air with beautiful electric-colored scintillations, spreading in every direction. They make one of the most effective displays known to the art.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 4 spreader stars, ½ dozen in package | $2 75 |
| 6 " " ½ " " | 3 50 |
| 8 " " ½ " " | 5 00 |
| 10 " " ½ " " | 6 50 |

# GOLDEN SHOWER CANDLES.

Containing beautiful golden scintillating balls with trails of brilliant fire.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| 4 ball, ½ dozen in each package | $3 00 |
| 6 " ½ " " " | 4 50 |
| 8 " ½ " " " | 7 00 |

# COLORED TRIPLET CANDLES.

Exhibit a variegated shower of stars, which form in displays the national colors similar to a large fountain. Especially adapted for flambeau clubs, parades, private displays, etc.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| No. 8, 24 ball, packed ½ dozen in packages | $6 50 |

# HAND ILLUMINATIONS OR COLORED TORCHES.

A very desirable article for street parades and campaign purposes, assorted colors.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| 1 dozen in a package, burning 15 minutes | $5 50 |

# COLORED ROCKETS.

Assorted Colors and large brilliant stars.

Rockets should be fired from a gutter made of two boards nailed together at right angles, and placed at a slight inclination against the wind.

| | | | Per gross |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 oz., | ¼ gross in pkg | | $ 5 00 |
| 2 " | ¼ " | " | 7 00 |
| 3 " | ¼ " | " | 12 00 |
| 4 " | 2 dozen in box | | 18 50 |
| 6 " | 1 " | " | 27 00 |
| ½ lb., | 1 " | " | 45 00 |

| | | | Per dozen |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 lb., | 1 dozen in box | | $ 5 50 |
| 2 " | ½ " | " | 10 50 |
| 3 " | ½ " | " | 17 50 |
| 4 " | ½ " | " | 21 50 |

## SCREAMER ROCKETS

These Rockets ascend with a loud, screaming noise; when they reach the highest altitude, explode with a heavy report. They are largely used at public and political meetings to draw a crowd.

2 pounders, ½ dozen in box, $30 per dozen.

# NEW COLORED EXHIBITION SKY ROCKETS.

Large sizes, each Rocket containing extra fine colored stars.

| | | | Per dozen |
|---|---|---|---|
| ½ lb., | 1 doz. in box | | $ 7 00 |
| 1 " | ½ " " | with detachable stick | 14 00 |
| 2 " | ½ " " | " " " | 20 00 |
| 3 " | ½ " " | " " " | 35 00 |
| 4 " | ¼ " " | " " " | 50 00 |
| 6 " | ⅙ " " | " " " | 60 00 |

# CANNON ROCKETS.

These Rockets, when they reach the highest altitude, explode with a very heavy report, equal to a cannon; they are used for salutes, and at political meetings.

| | Per dozen | | Per dozen |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 lb., ½ dozen in box | $30 00 | 3 lb., ¼ dozen in box | $42 00 |

## Willow Tree Rockets.

Throwing out at a great height a mass of brilliant fire, taking the shape of a willow tree, with its long, hanging branches, which spread and finally reach the ground.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| 2 lbs., ¼ dozen in box | $ 30 00 |
| 4 " ¼ " " | 50 00 |
| 6 " ⅙ " " | 80 00 |
| 8 " packed single | 120 00 |

## Calliope Rockets.

After an explosion they fill the air with loud screeching whistles, that can be heard a great distance. A wonderful novelty; for day or night use.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| 3 lbs., ½ dozen in box | $42 50 |

## Prismatic Dragon Rockets

At an altitude of from 300 to 500 feet, they display a swarm of magic dragon-like serpents, with vermilion-hued bodies, changing and interchanging in their winding courses, till they faintly fade away in the distance.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| 3 lbs., ¼ dozen in box | $42 50 |
| 4 " ¼ " " | 50 00 |

## Parachute Rockets.

Discharging at great height, floating stars of great caliber, suspended from parachutes. They float a long distance, and change colors several times before disappearing.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| 2 lbs., "Silver Star," ½ doz. in box | $20 00 |
| 4 " "Triple Asteroid," ¼ " " | 50 00 |
| 6 " "7-star Pleiades," ⅙ " " | 80 00 |

## CASCADE ROCKETS.

Amid the clouds they display a broad swelling spread of liquid gold, in streamers of glittering radiance, with feathery edges, gradually spreading and dissolving into a cloud of sparkling mist lasting a long time.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 3 lbs., ¼ dozen in box | $42 50 |
| 4 " ¼ " " | 50 00 |

## COLORED SHOOTING STAR ROCKETS.

On reaching the proper height the rockets release several showers of golden scintillations, from which many shooting stars of all the colors of the rainbow are continuously discharging in every direction, producing a novel and beautiful effect.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 4 lbs., ¼ dozen in box | $ 50 00 |
| 6 " ⅙ " " | 80 00 |

## COLORED CORNUCOPIA ROCKETS.

This rocket, on reaching its altitude, releases a mammoth shower of brilliant rubies, followed in quick succession by a second and third burst, releasing sapphire and emerald meteors and duration stars.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 4 lbs., ¼ dozen in box | $50 00 |
| 6 " 1/6 " " | 80 00 |

## COLORED JEWELED STREAMER ROCKETS.

Displaying a great golden burst of a large number of streamers of brilliant fires, each terminating with a shell burst of variegated jeweled stars. One of the most beautiful combinations in pyrotechny.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 4 lbs., ¼ dozen in box | $50 00 |
| 6 " 1/6 " " | 80 00 |

## ELECTRIC SHOWER ROCKETS.

Bursting in midheaven, they form an Aurora Borealis-like shower of electric jewels of emerald and sapphire tints, falling slowly to the earth. The latest and grandest discovery in the art.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 4 lbs., ¼ dozen in box | $50 00 |
| 6 " 1-12 " " | 80 00 |

## TELESCOPE REPEATING ROCKETS.

These ascend to a great height, and then release four more rockets, bursting in mid-heaven, disclosing clusters of colored stars.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 6 lbs., 1/6 dozen in box | $80 00 |

## PRIZE COMETIC ROCKETS.

These rockets ascend to a great height, and discharge a single star of large size and brilliancy, which changes colors several times while floating slowly away, then suddenly resolves itself into a revolving wheel of brilliant fire, and other beautiful effects, ending with a burst of tinted meteors.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 8 lbs., 1-12 dozen in box | $120 00 |

## DIAMOND CHAIN ROCKETS.

These rockets on reaching their height produce links of diamond chains, changing colors, which continue descending and finally disappear in the distance, with bursts of colored meteors, and showers of gold.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| 8 lbs., 1-12 dozen in box | $120 00 |

## PEACOCK PLUMES ROCKETS.

Rising like an Eiffel Tower of fire to an immense height, with a grand explosion they form a gorgeous veil of feathery plumes, reaching nearly to the ground, embellished with topaz and emerald comets intertwining in their flight, presenting beautiful figures and combinations of colors ending with salutes.

| | Per doz. |
|---|---|
| 8 lbs., 1-12 dozen in box | $120 00 |

## COLORED FIRES.

Red, white, gold, blue and green in ¼, ½ and 1 pound cans. One color in each can. Per pound..... $1 50

Colored fires consist of dry powder, which should be poured from the can into a metallic dish or on a flat dry stone, and spread in a train and lighted at the end.

## TABLEAUX FIRES.

Red, Blue, Green, and White, put up in paper tubes.

1 dozen tubes in a box.....per hox $2 50

## NICKEL RED FIRE.

In wood boxes, to retail at 5 cents each.

3 dozen boxes in a package, per gross boxes.....$12 50

## PARADE FIRES.

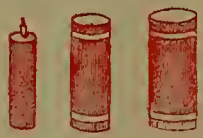
In paper case ready to light; burns very slowly for fully five minutes with brilliant illuminating effect; very effective in parades or other outdoor illumination.

| | Per dozen cases. |
|---|---|
| Red, 1 lb. in each case | $15 00 |
| Green " " | 15 00 |

Showers for theatrical use made to order in three sizes—small, medium and large—quick match, covered and uncovered, supplied.

## BENGAL LIGHTS.

These are heavily charged cases of illuminating fire, and are used out-of-doors. As they are slow burning, they produce for a long time a brilliant and dazzling illumination of all surrounding objects.



| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| ¼ lb., ½ doz. in pkg., 3 colors in each piece | $4 00 |
| ½ " ½ " " 3 " " " | 6 00 |
| 1 " ½ " " 3 " " " | 8 00 |

*Directions.*—Bengal lights should be placed on open ground or on an elevated position. Light the fuse.

## MARINE SIGNALS.

Signal lights with handles.

Signal rockets, extra heavy.

Signal shotgun shells for sealers' use.

## SERPENTS OR NIGGER CHASERS.

| | Per gross. |
|---|---|
| 3 inch, ½ gross in a package | $2 60 |
| 4 " ½ " " | 4 50 |
| 5 " ½ " " | 5 50 |

## BRILLIANT FLOWER POTS.

They throw out streams of beautiful spur fire and spangles, and present the appearance of a fountain of brilliant fire. They are harmless, and can be used by ladies and children.

| | Per gross. |
|---|---|
| 4 inch, 1 dozen in a package | $ 9 75 |
| 6 " 1 " " | 15 75 |
| 10 " 1 " " | 21 50 |
| 6 " 1 " " with handle | 21 50 |

## BLUE LIGHTS.

| | Per gross. |
|---|---|
| Extra large, ½ gross in a package | $2 30 |

*Directions.*—Blue lights should be held in the hand at a slight incline. Light at one end.

## ELECTRIC FLOWERS.

Displays a brilliant stream of gold and silver spangles, intermingled and bordered with emerald and electric spray.

Per dozen

With handles, one dozen in package.....$3 75

*Directions.*—Hold in the hand and light the fuse.

## MOUNT VESUVIUS.

One of the cheapest and finest articles of fireworks ever produced, displaying a beautiful fountain of diamond sparks, combined with eruptions of carmine, azure, emerald and orange miniature meteors.

Per dozen

Colored ½ dozen in package.....$5 00

*Directions.*—Insert the wooden point in the ground and light the fuse.

## JEWELED JETS.

These novelties fill the air with streams of golden scintillations, combined with a fine shower of sparkled jeweled sparks, making a beautiful and lasting display.

Per dozen

With handles, 1 dozen in package.....$5 00

*Directions.*—Hold in the hand in a clear space and light the fuse.

## DEFENDER.

Represents the Defender making a circle around the competing yacht, requesting the excursion steamers to keep out of the way.

Per dozen

1 dozen in package.....$4 50

## HURDLE RACE.

Represents a hurdle race, with horses on the home stretch, passing each other, finally going under the wire neck and neck.

Per dozen

1 dozen in package.....$4 50

## HOME RUN.

Represents a game of baseball, and the home runner following close at the heels of the runner ahead in their efforts to reach the home plate.

Per dozen

1 dozen in package.....$4 50

## SUN FLOWER.

In its evolutions it unfolds in shape and colors a beautiful sun flower.

Per dozen

1 dozen in package.....$2 50

Whistling Bomb.

## JAPANESE ACROBAT.

Begins with a crimson illumination changing to a brilliant fountain, with a lond report throws au acrobat into the air turning somersaults, making coutortious, dives, etc., ending with a heavy aerial maroon.

1 dozen iu package, per doz.....$2 50

## MAGIC FOUNTAIN.

Starts into operation as if lighted by magic, the whole forming a beautiful fountain.

1 dozen in package, per dozeu.....$2 25

## MINIATURE SALUTE BATTERIES.

A Liliputian Battery discharging colored stars, ending with lond reports.

½ dozen in package, per dozen.....$1 65

## WHISTLING BOMBS.

It whistles like a steam whistle, ending with a report.

1 dozen in package, per dozen.....$2 00

## NATURAL GAS WELLS.

These goods form a cloud-like jet, like a burst of burning natural gas, with a dissolving border of scintillating spur-poiuted stars.

3 dozen in a box, per gross.....$12 50

*Directions.*—Place on the ground and light fuse at the appex.

## CRIMSON FIREFLIES.

Open with a brilliant crimson illumination, changing to a fountain of fireflies and electric sparks, lasting and beautiful. To set on the ground.

No. 1, colored, 3 dozen in a package, per gross.....$12 50

*Directions.*—Remove cover. Place on the ground and light at top.

## FIRE KING.

A most attractive and salable article, packed 3 dozen in package.

Price, per gross.....$12 50

## CHINESE SPRAYS.

Display a broad stream of Chinese gold and silver spangles, very handsome, and may be safely handled and fired by ladies and children.

No. 1, 3 dozen in package, per gross.....$12 50

## TRILBY WHEELS.

A miniature triangle wheel, which in its revolutions, display circles of beautiful and dazzling spangles.

1 dozen in a box, per gross. ..... $12 50

## PHARAOH'S SERPENTS' EGGS.

These are small eggs or cones, which, when placed on end and lighted, evolve a long serpent-like ash—a really curious and amusing chemical effect.

Packed 1 dozen eggs in a wood box, per gross boxes. ..... $12 00

## SNAKES IN THE GRASS.

This when burning produces a large bunch of grass. You can see it grow, from which a large serpent emerges and crawls a long distance — a realistic scene and very amusing. Can be used in the parlor.

Packed 1 dozen in a box, extra large size.

Price, per box ..... $0 80

## RUBY LIGHTS.

The illuminating power is very great, with brilliant colors, especially adapted for children, being cheap and harmless, with handles.

| | Per gross |
|---|---|
| No. 1, 2, 1 gross in box | $3 50 |
| " 3, 1 " " " | 5 00 |
| " 4, ½ " " " | 7 00 |

## MINIATURE BATTERIES.

These are new and beautiful. Fine counter goods, and very salable on account of the size and beautiful appearance. Displaying an eruption of stars.

| | Per gross |
|---|---|
| No. 1, 3 dozen in a package | $ 5 00 |
| " 2, 1 " " | 12 00 |

## GRASSHOPPERS.

They hop in all directions, very amusing, packed 1 gross in a package.

Price, per gross ..... $6 00

## YELLOW JACKETS.

The greatest and best selling novelty. True to its name, it represents a swarm of angry yellow jackets.

½ gross in a box, per gross. ..... $4 00

## ELECTRIC SPANGLES.

1 gross in a package, per gross. ..... $4 00

## PIN WHEELS

| | Per Gross. |
|---|---|
| Large, ½ gross in package | $4 00 |
| Extra, ½ " " | 6 60 |

*Directions.*—These are small toy fireworks wheels, which can be fired by fastening to post with a large pin through the center of the wheel, or by fastening to the end of a stick held in the band.

## CATHARINE WHEELS.

We pack our Catharine Wheels in strong strawboard boxes, and they are the best small wheel made, being brilliant in color and perfect in action.

| | Per gross. |
|---|---|
| Extra large, ¼ gross in a box | $17 00 |

*Directions.*—Catharine Wheels can be fired same as directions for Pin Wheels, or suspended at the end of a string. See illustrations.

## COLORED TRIANGLE WHEELS.

Triangle Wheel

These wheels have cases of brilliant fires which throw out in their revolutions circles of beautiful and dazzling spangles, very showy and effective. The colored pots form additional inside rings of variegated colors.

| | Per gross. |
|---|---|
| 1 oz., 1 dozen in package | $17 00 |
| 2 " 1 " " | 24 00 |
| 3 " 1 " " | 38 00 |
| | Per dozen. |
| ¼ lb., ½ dozen in package, colored pots | $ 6 00 |
| ½ " ½ " " " " | 8 75 |
| 1 " ⅙ " " " " | 13 50 |

## COLORED ROSETTE WHEELS.

These are wheels of four changes, exhibiting a brilliant outer ring encircling an inside ring of red or green illuminating fire, making a lasting and beautiful effect.

Extra heavy, ⅙ dozen in package...$20 00 per doz.

Rosette.

## COLORED CHINA FLYERS.

These are contra-revolving pieces, with pots of fires in variegated colors, forming beautiful scintillating fire wheels, having center circles of different colored rings.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| Large, with colored pot, ½ doz. in package | $ 8 00 |
| Extra, " " ½ " " | 13 50 |

*Directions.*—Triangle and Rosette Wheels and China Flyers should be securely fastened through the center block with the round nail accompanying each, to a smooth, upright post, taking care that its motion is free and regular in running before lighting it.

Colored Vertical Wheel.

## COLORED VERTICAL WHEELS.

These are wheels made of heavy revolving cases of jasmine and brilliant fire, and with variegated colored central rings, thus forming many changes and beautiful effects in their revolutions. Spindle attached for firing.

| Diameter. | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| 8 in., ½ doz. in package | $ 6 50 |
| 10 " packed single, with colored pot | 13 50 |
| 12 " " " " red " | 20 00 |
| 14 " " " " red and green pots | 28 00 |
| 16 " " " " " " " | 39 00 |
| 18 " " " " " " " | 58 00 |

## COLORED DOUBLE TRIANGLE WHEELS.

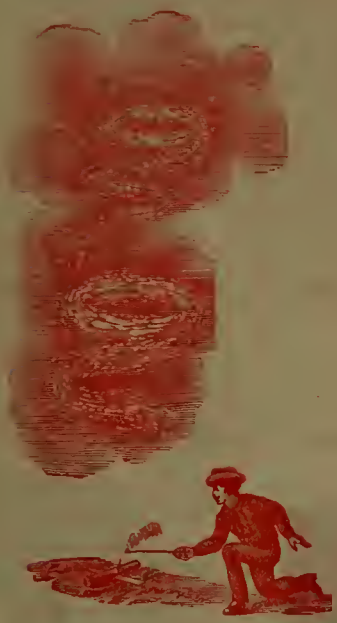
Double Triangle Wheel.

These are the finest wheels made, being composed of six [illegible] brilliant fires each one after firing changing in the [illegible] of its separate positions, and exhibiting at the same time variegated colored center rings, changing to the most variegated colors known to the pyrotechnic art. A strong spindle accompanies each wheel. Very simple to fire, and makes a beautiful and pleasing exhibit.

Large, with two colored pots, single. $48 00 per doz.

*Directions.*—For vertical and double triangle wheels, fasten with the spindle attached to a smooth upright post, at about ten feet from the ground. See that the wheel is well secured, and that it revolves freely and regularly before firing.

## TRUMPET WHEELS.



These wheels, composed of brilliant Chinese and jasmine spray fires, revolving around variegated colored center rings, emit loud musical tones of varying notes, causing both wonder and delight.

12 inch, single.....$21 50 per doz.
16 " " ..... 42 00 "

*Directions.*—Fire same as vertical wheel.

## COLORED GEYSERS.

These are revolving rockets, which, in their rotary flight, resemble a wheel of brilliant fire ascending in the air.

Per dozen.

Small, packed ½ dozen in package.....$ 8 50
Large, " ½ " " ..... 17 75

*Directions.*—Select a smooth surface on the ground or top of a barrel head; lay the piece on the place selected with a cross-stick underneath, light at the fuse, and they will ascend with a rotary motion.

## PRISMATIC WHIRLWINDS.

Form an immense revolving column of brilliant fires, ascending high in the air emitting showers of golden spray, terminating in a crown of variegated colored stars of every hue.

Per dozen.

Exhibition Size, packed single.....$50 00

*Directions.*—Place on a smooth surface in the open air, light the fuse and withdraw to a convenient distance.

## INDIAN JUGGLERY.

Starts with a beautiful crimson illumination lasting some time. Finally, with a loud explosion, projects high into the air a piece of mechanism, which, after a series of contortions, disappears from view with a loud report.

Per dozen.

Extra large, packed single ..... $24 00

## COLORED STAR AND SERPENT MINES.

These are substantial tube cases, with wooden base, and charged with Colored Stars of every hue, or with Serpents, which in the final discharge are thrown up and scattered high in the air, similar to a volcano in its action. They are among the most effective goods made for public or private displays.

| | Per gross. |
|---|---|
| No. 1, ½ doz. in package | $22 50 |
| " 2, ½ " " | 29 50 |

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| No. 3, ½ doz. in package | $ 3 25 |
| " 4, single with stars | 4 75 |
| " 5, " " | 7 00 |
| " 6, **Gyrating Serpent Mines,** large | 15 00 |
| " 7, **Colored Meteor Mines,** extra large | 22 50 |
| " 8, **Mines, Feu de Joie.** | |

These goods emit a marvelous combination of pyrotechnic effects, exploding with heavy report.

| | Each. |
|---|---|
| No. 8, single | $3 50 |

No. 9, **Electric Shower Mines**—Open with a brilliant shower of scintillating fires. In the final discharge displays one of the finest effects known—a shower with green centers, emitting electric sparks.

No. 9, single ..... $5 00

No. 10, **Whistling Jack or Calliope Mines.**—These emit gyrating, whistling figures, making one of the most pleasing and novel displays known, never failing to please the most critical audience.

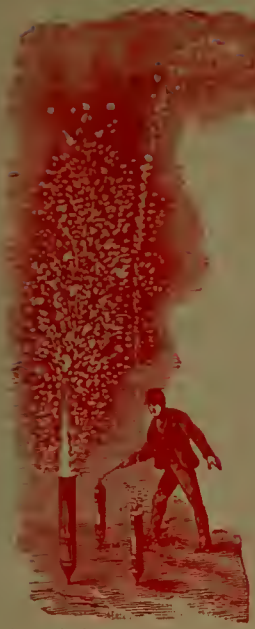
No. 10, single ..... $7 50

## COLORED FLYING PIGEONS.

These pyrotechnic curiosities fly a distance through the air of 100 to 300 feet, and return back to the starting point. The largest size also rapidly revolve while flying through the air.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Medium, packed ¼ dozen in a package | $12 00 |
| Large, packed ¼ dozen in a package | 20 00 |
| Extra large, revolving comets, packed single, each | 5 00 |

*Directions.*—Fasten the ends of a piece of heavy twine or light wire between two posts about 150 feet apart and 10 to 12 feet from the ground. Place the line through the center of pigeon, fuse end near the starting point.



## COLORED AEROLITES.

These begin with an illumination of changing colors, mutating to a shower of fountain-like fire, then discharge high in the air a blazing aerolite, which finally disappears from sight with a loud explosion.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| Aerolites, packed single | $24 00 |

## COLORED FLORAL FOUNTAINS.

These are a novel and beautiful representation in floral fire of a fountain throwing upward and outward liquid drops of spangles and spray fire, which resembles a large fountain in action. One of the most beautiful effects in pyrotechny.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| Floral Fountains, packed singly | $36 00 |

## COLORED PRISMATIC FOUNTAINS.

We can recommend them as very beautiful. They make a fountain of colored fire drops, intermingling and shooting through each other with kaleidoscopic effect.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| Prismatic Fountains, packed single | $36 00 |

*Directions.*—For Aerolites, Floral and Prismatic Fountains: Push the sharp end of the wooden base in the ground, so as to firmly hold the Fountain in a perpendicular position. Select a place on the lawn where it is free above from trees or other obstructions, and light fuse at the top end, as in illustration.

## BATTERIES OF COLORED STARS.

They discharge continuously and in large quantities colored stars, filling the air with showers of gold, silver, blue, green and crimson drops. Very beautiful and exciting. Largely used in political and private displays. Perfectly safe and easy to fire.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| Small, packed single | $30 00 |
| Large " | 50 00 |
| Ex. large, " | 65 00 |

*Directions.*—For saucissons, mines, and batteries, fire from level ground, or at an elevation upon some secure foundation. Place upright on its base and fire the fuse, as in the illustration.

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**We will not ship Fireworks unless money or satisfactory City References accompany each order.**

**We do not break packages.**

## COLORED SAUCISSONS.

These are similar to large-sized mines, which first throw out a shower of fire, with intermediate stars of variegated colored fires, finally exploding with a heavy report, and discharging high in the air a mass of fiery dragons, hissing and squirming in every directiou, with trails of brilliant fire, exploding with loud reports.

Colored Saucissons.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Small, packed single | $30 00 |
| Large, " " | 40 00 |
| Extra large " | 60 00 |

## DEVIL AMONG THE TAILORS.

The most amusing article ever offered in our line, making more display for the money than any article yet made. It is to be placed on the ground to fire, and opens with an illumination in colors, followed by a rich stream of brilliant fire. Next shows a fountain of reporting electric stars, and terminates with a burst of fiery dragons thrown to a height of 50 to 60 feet, and exploding there with loud reports.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Large | $24 00 |
| Extra | 42 00 |

## SURPRISE BOXES.

Beginning with a prismatic colored brilliant shower of fires, forming a beautiful fountain, they suddenly explode with a loud report, filling the air with fiery-tailed salutes, startling and very effective.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Large, packed single | $40 00 |
| Extra large, " | 60 00 |

## DRAGON NESTS.

Dragon Nests are a new and startling article in fireworks, simple to fire and heautiful in display. Commences with discharges of electric stars, each star in its flight separating and making a numher of smaller stars or flashes. There is also a shower of hrilliant colored fires eight to ten feet high. As a finale, a grand outburst of hissing, fiery dragons take place; they fill the air with loud, hissing noises, and leave trails of hrilliant fire behind them as they shoot through the air.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Large | $36 00 |
| Extra large | 48 00 |

## SAPPHIRE SHOWERS.

Beginning with a colored illumination, changing to a spray fountain, with occasional bursts of sapphires, which, as they fall, throw off beautiful electric scintillations.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| Extra large packed single | $24 00 |

## COLORED FLORAL BOMBSHELLS.

These floral bombshells show in burning all the choice colors known to the art, consisting of crimson, gold, red and variegated stars of all shades. They project a bombshell in the air to an elevation of several hundred feet, which then explodes and throws out stars of every hue, mingled with showers of golden rain.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| No. 1, small, packed single | $30 00 |
| " 2, medium, " | 45 00 |
| " 3, large, " | 60 00 |
| " 4, extra large " | 75 00 |

*Directions.*—Mines and floral bombshells are placed upright on their base, and fired from level ground or upon some raised and solid support, taking care to select a place which is clear of trees or other obstructions above.

## DETONATING CANNON SALUTES.

With extra heavy report, much superior to a cannon. For salutes, Fourth of July, campaign use. They are ignited by 15 second slow fuse. Care must be taken not to explode them near any person or glass windows. Directions on every salute.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Six pounders | $20 00 |
| Twelve pounders | 36 00 |

## REPORTING BOMBSHELL SALUTES.

Put up six in a box with mortar.

Are fired from mortars, ascend 500 to 600 feet into the air, and explode at that height with a report that can be heard for miles. Used for signals, salutes, celebrations, political meetings, etc. Take the place of cannon, are more effective and cost is less.

| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Extra large (equal in report to 12-pound cannon) | $60 00 |

## FIERY CONTORTIONISTS.

This beautiful pyrotechnic effect represents a spur fire fountain, which changes to myriads of fiery contortionists, twisting, squirming in mid-air, putting themselves into various shapes; very amusing and exciting

| | Each. |
|---|---|
| Exhibition size, single | $50 00 |

## ELECTRIC FOUNTAINS.

Sending forth a continuous stream of beautiful electric stars, scintilating in green and azure tints, the whole producing one of the most beautiful showers of electrical effects ever witnessed.

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|---|---|
| Exhibition size, each | $36 00 |

## WHISTLING FOUNTAINS.

A continuous stream of gyrating musical figures, emitting calliope or musical tones. Very curious, exciting and amusing. Can be used for day display as well as at night. No one should fail to include these in their selections.

| | |
|---|---|
| Exhibition size, each | $35 00 |

## UNION FOUNTAINS.

Throw three distinct streams of red, white and blue stars, making a fan-shaped fountain representing our national colors.

| | Each |
|---|---|
| No. 1, large size | $20 00 |
| " 2, extra " | 30 00 |
| " 3, special " | 40 00 |

## BOMBETTE FOUNTAIN.

A masked fountain of specialties in bombshell effects arranged to fire simultaneously, producing many bouquets of the latest tints.

| | |
|---|---|
| Exhibition size, each | $50 00 |

## GOLDEN STREAMER FOUNTAIN.

Throw a steady stream of golden stars, forming a beautiful fountain.

| | |
|---|---|
| Exhibition size, each | $30 00 |

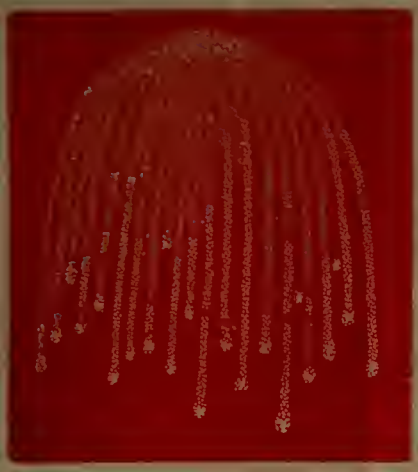
## AERIAL BOUQUETS, OR FLIGHT OF ROCKETS.

These consist of a large quantity of rockets grouped together in a tall wooden case, and prepared to fly together in a mass at one time, unfolding high in the air a beautiful pyrotechnic bouquet, sparkling with the richest colored gems.

| | Each | | Each |
|---|---|---|---|
| No. 1, variegated colors | $20 00 | No. 3, variegated colors | $40 00 |
| " 2, " " | 30 00 | " 4, " " | 50 00 |

*Directions.*—The box is set nearly perpendicular on the ground, well braced and pointed away from the spectators; the top end opened and fuse then lighted.

# "NIGHT" BOMBSHELLS.



These shells are the grandest production of the pyrotechnic art. They show every known color, and all the beautiful combinations of colors, besides streamers, shooting stars, meteors, comets, duration stars, serpents, gold rain, trailed stars, whirligigs, parachutes, mammoth spreaders, etc. The perfection which this branch of pyrotechnics has attained by years of experiment, by both native and foreign chemists in our employ, has had the effect of revolutionizing the style of large displays, making it possible with them and with the addition of our other aerial fireworks to produce the grandest exhibitions without the use of any set pieces whatever, each shell being superior to a set piece.

These shells are of peculiar construction, and contain more material than any other kinds, therefore make greater display.

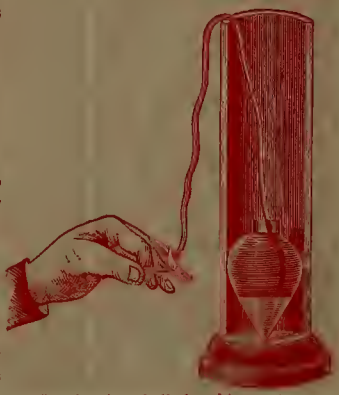
| | Per dozen |
|---|---|
| Night shells, 6 inches in circumference, packed half dozen (shells), with mortar in a wood box | $25 00 |
| Night shells, 9 inches in circumference, packed half dozen (shells) with mortar in a wood box | 50 00 |

| | Each |
|---|---|
| Night shells, 12 inches in circumference | $ 7 00 |
| " 15 " " | 10 00 |
| " 18 " " | 16 00 |
| " 24 " " | 25 00 |

*Directions.*—They are fired from mortars or upright guns. Select a level place free from obstructions overhead. Place the shell in the mortar with the **white cone end down.** Let the long fuse hang out of the mouth of the mortar. Slide off the red paper tube or covering from the fuse. Light the black end of the fuse and quickly move away a good distance from the mortar.

*Be careful at all times not to get any part of the person over the mouth of the mortar, and always clean out the mortar after each shell is fired so that no sparks remain.*

We loan mortars with all shells from 12 inches in circumference upwards and require a deposit on same; which deposit is remitted on return of gun in good order, freight prepaid. Where it is desired we furnish men to fire, for which an extra charge is made. All mortars must be promptly returned.



Cut showing shell placed in mortar.

Mexican Jets.

Phantom Circle.

Aztec Fountain.

# LAWN EXHIBITION PIECES.

| | Each |
|---|---|
| Illuminated Batteries | $4 50 |
| Diamond Star | 6 00 |
| Chaplet of Roses (see cut) | 6 00 |
| Silver Glory | 8 00 |
| Chinese Fan (see cut) | 7 00 |
| Gallopade (see cut) | 9 00 |
| Colored Polka Battery | 8 00 |
| Colored Monitor Battery | 9 00 |
| Flowering Aloe | 10 00 |
| Shower of Pearls | $11 00 |
| Aztec Fountain (see cut) | 11 00 |
| Pyric Cascade | 10 00 |
| Illuminated Star Wheel | 11 00 |
| Mexican Jets (see cut) | 11 00 |
| Sparkling Caprice | 10 00 |
| Egyptian Circlets | 11 00 |
| Phantom Circles (see cut) | 20 00 |

NOTICE.—All our Lawn Exhibition Pieces are provided with a hanger and directions how to fire.

The hanger facilitates putting up the pieces at short notice or taking them down quickly in case it becomes necessary on account of rain, or for any other reason.

Gallopade.

Chinese Fans.

Chaplet of Roses.

# PUBLIC EXHIBITION PIECES.

Comprising a variety of new and beautiful designs for public and private displays. All pieces packed in small compass, convenient for shipping to any part of the country. Instructions for firing accompany each piece. Our expert will accompany and fire large public exhibitions.

Portraits, mottoes and special designs of any description made to order at very short notice.

**In Ordering, Please give Name and Number.**

## FANCY DESIGNS.

| No. | Name | Price each |
|---|---|---|
| 50 | Spuyten Tuyvil | $ 30 00 |
| 51 | Sparkling Waterfall | 26 00 |
| 52 | Shield of Iris | 30 00 |
| 53 | Polka Redowa | 30 00 |
| 54 | Chinese Brilliant | 34 00 |
| 55 | Tree of Liberty | 34 00 |
| 56 | Sunburst | 50 00 |
| 57 | Peruvian Glory | 50 00 |
| 58 | Elfin Waltz | 58 00 |
| 59 | Aurora Borealis | 48 00 |
| 60 | Casket of Jewels | 81 00 |
| 61 | Magic Wheel | 62 00 |
| 62 | * " Ex. Large | 108 00 |
| 63 | Egyptian Pyramid | 78 00 |
| 64 | *Egypt, Pyramid Ex. Large | 166 00 |
| 65 | *Double Diamond | 60 00 |
| 66 | Revolving Star | 86 00 |
| 67 | * " Ex. Large | 150 00 |
| 68 | Italian Rosette | 108 00 |
| 69 | * " Ex. Large | 190 00 |
| 70 | Mosiac Diamond | $ 64 00 |
| 71 | * " Ex. Large | 120 00 |
| 72 | Peacock's Tail | 98 00 |
| 73 | * " Ex. Large | 172 00 |
| 74 | Jeweled Sprays | 90 00 |
| 75 | * " Ex. Large | 142 00 |
| 76 | Saxon Pyramid | 70 00 |
| 77 | * " Ex. Large | 150 00 |
| 78 | Cluster of Diamonds | 96 00 |
| 79 | " " Ex. Large | 170 00 |
| 80 | * " " Dble. " | 265 00 |
| 81 | Revolving Pyramids | 170 00 |
| 82 | " Chinese Spider | 130 00 |
| 83 | " Suu | 75 00 |
| 84 | * " " Ex. Large | 128 00 |
| 85 | Kaleidoscope | 67 00 |
| 86 | " Ex. Large | 116 00 |
| 87 | *Pleiadas | 135 00 |
| 88 | * " Ex. Large | 200 00 |
| 89 | Gothic Cross | 105 00 |

## PUBLIC EXHIBITION PIECES—Continued.

| No. | Name | Price Each |
|---|---|---|
| 90 | *Gothic Cross, Ex. Large.. | $180 00 |
| 91 | *Snowflake ..... .... | 166 00 |
| 92 | *Emerald Jewels.... ..... | 166 00 |
| 93 | *Giraudole, 20-ft. wheel.... | 420 00 |
| 94 | Mount Vesuvius ..... | 67 00 |
| 95 | * " Ex. Large.. | 133 00 |
| 96 | Minnehaha ..... | 67 00 |
| 97 | * " Ex. Large..... | 133 00 |
| 98 | Turbine wheel..... | 80 00 |
| 99 | * " Dble. Ex. Large | 167 00 |
| 100 | *Pyrotechnic Cross Fire extra large..... | 133 00 |
| 101 | *Horizontal Wheel, double extra large..... | 200 00 |
| 102 | *Fountain of Fire, Ex. large | 133 00 |
| 103 | *Columbia Triumph..... | 167 00 |
| 104 | *Prismatic Fountain..... | 133 00 |
| 105 | Niagara Cataracts, $6.00 per running foot for not less than 10 feet.. | |

NOTE.—By placing a number of these Cataracts in a continuous line, Falls of any length may be produced, and of as great a height as it is possible to erect them.

| No. | Set Designs | Price each |
|---|---|---|
| 155 | Motto, "G. A. R."..... | $ 23 00 |
| 156 | " "1776" ..... | 24 00 |
| 157 | " "Union" ..... | 29 00 |
| 158 | " "July 4th"..... | 29 00 |
| 159 | " "Welcome," 12-inch letters..... | 55 00 |
| 160 | " "Welcome," 18-inch letters..... | 80 00 |

| No. | Name | Price each |
|---|---|---|
| 161 | Bust of Wash'tu illuminated | $50 00 |
| 162 | * " " " Ex. Large | 135 00 |
| 163 | Promethiau Vase..... | 48 00 |
| 164 | Saxon Cross..... | 53 00 |
| 165 | Turkish Cross..... | 60 00 |
| 166 | Maltese Cross..... | 53 00 |
| 167 | Crystal Spray Fountain.... | 48 00 |
| 168 | U. S. Shield..... | 63 00 |
| 169 | Star of America..... | 43 00 |
| 170 | American Flag..... | 77 00 |
| 171 | Liberty Cap and Motto..... | 67 00 |
| 172 | American Eagle..... | 108 00 |
| 173 | * " Spread Eagle.... | 144 00 |
| 174 | "Good-night," combination | 73 00 |
| 175 | Union Forever, combination | 80 00 |
| 176 | Jeweled Cross..... | 100 00 |
| 177 | *Goddess of Liberty..... | 190 00 |
| 178 | Jeweled Stars..... | 135 00 |
| 179 | *Washington on Horse, extra large..... ..... | 165 00 |
| 180 | *Washington on Horse, extra large, with pedestal..... | 240 00 |
| 181 | *Fireman, Engine and Hose | 350 00 |
| 182 | *Locomotive and Tender... | 300 00 |
| 183 | *Passenger Car..... | 200 00 |
| 184 | *Train of Cars..... | 500 00 |
| 185 | *Single Column and Star with Letter..... | 200 00 |
| 186 | *Double Column and Stars with Letters..... | 400 00 |
| 187 | *Triple Column and Stars with G. A. R..... | 600 00 |
| 188 | *G. A. R. Badge..... | 335 00 |

*Pieces marked thus (*) are too large to box and ship, and are made on the ground where they are to be fired, or transported by teams from factory. They are not kept in stock, so must be ordered considerably in advance.

## TO COMMITTEES

The success of an exhibition of fireworks depends very much upon a judicious selection of pieces.

*If Committees not having time to call on us will write the amount they wish to expend for display, we will make a selection for the amount, and send list by return mail for approval. This mode of selection we guarantee will prove as satisfactory as if selected in person.*

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR FIRING FIREWORKS.

That portion of the ground where display is to be fired should be inclosed by a strong rope or fence, taking plenty of room, according to the size of the exhibition and to prevent accidents.

Place the aerial fireworks in boxes, carefully covered with oilcloth, or tarpaulin to prevent dampness or sparks from reaching them.

Open display with balloons and illuminations with portions of rockets and bombshells, then the set pieces, beginning with the smallest, continuing with the largest (with aerial display of rockets, bombshells, etc., between) closing with the largest set piece, the effect of which will be enhanced by placing a battery on either side, a little to the rear, and firing them with it. The aerial bouquet should be the last piece fired.

*Roman Candles.*—Fire from the hand holding candle below the middle with lower end exposed. *Do not shake.*

*Rockets.*—Fire from a gutter made of two boards nailed together at right angles, and placed at a slight inclination against the wind. *Do not fire from the hand.*

*Verticals, China Flyers and Other Wheels.*—Fasten with the spindle attached to a smooth upright post at about ten feet from the ground. See that the wheel is well secured, and that it revolves freely and regularly before firing.

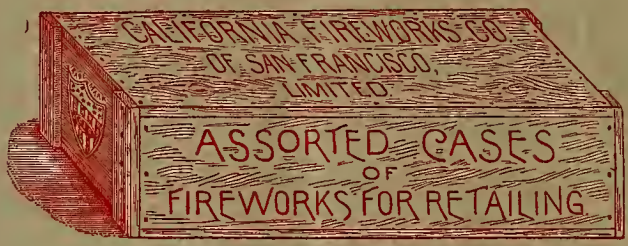
*Geysers and Prismatic Whirlwinds.*—Select a smooth surface on the ground, lay the piece on the place selected with the cross stick underneath, light with fuse and they will ascend with a rotary motion.

*Fountains, Batteries, Aerolites, Sapphire Showers, Fiery Contortionists, Indian Jugglery, Saucissons, Dragon Nests, Devil Among the Tailors, Surprise Boxes, Detonating Cannon Salutes* and *Floral Bombshells* have full printed instructions on each piece.

*Flying Pigeons.*—Fasten the ends of a piece of heavy twine or light wire between two posts about 150 feet apart and 10 to 12 feet from the ground. Place the line through the center of pigeon, fuse end near the starting point.

*Night Bombshells.*—Full printed instructions accompany all shells. When it is desired we furnish men to fire at an additional charge.

*Exhibition Pieces.*—Fasten securely to posts placed firmly upright, about ten feet from the ground. See that all wheels are in their proper places and will revolve freely, and that the fuse hangs within convenient distance for lighting.




Containing assorted colors in every piece for retailing, being selected expressly for the retail trade, already packed in neat wooden box.

## Assortment "A," $8.50.

| Pieces | Size | Total |
|---|---|---|
| 24 colored candles | 2 star | $0 40 |
| 12 " " | 3 " | 29 |
| 12 " " | 4 " | 42 |
| 9 " " | 6 " | 57 |
| 9 " " | 8 " | 72 |
| 12 sky rockets | 1 oz. | 42 |
| 12 " | 2 " | 58 |
| 6 " | 3 " | 50 |
| 4 " | 4 " | 51 |
| 36 blue lights | extra large | 58 |
| 24 pin wheels | large | 66 |
| 6 flower pots | 4 inch | 41 |
| 12 ruby lights | No. 4 | 58 |
| 6 miniature batteries | " 2 | 50 |
| 6 Chinese sprays | | 52 |
| 6 natural gas wells | | 52 |
| Chinese punks | | 30 |
| 1 show bill | | 00 |
| 1 case | | 00 |
| | | $8 50 |

## Assortment "B," $17.00.

| Pieces | Size | Total |
|---|---|---|
| 36 colored candles | 2 star | $0 63 |
| 36 " " | 3 " | 88 |
| 24 " " | 4 " | 84 |
| 24 " " | 6 " | 1 50 |
| 18 " " | 8 " | 1 44 |
| 18 " " | 10 " | 2 00 |
| 24 sky rockets | 1 oz. | 84 |
| 18 " | 2 " | 87 |
| 12 " | 3 " | 1 00 |
| 12 " | 4 " | 1 54 |
| 4 mines of colored stars | No. 1 | 62 |
| 4 " " " | " 2 | 82 |
| 36 blue lights | extra large | 58 |
| 12 flower pots | 4 inch | 81 |
| 24 pin wheels | large | 67 |
| 24 serpents | 4 inch | 75 |
| 9 natural gas wells | | 78 |
| Chinese punks | | 48 |
| 1 show bill | | 00 |
| 1 case | | 00 |
| | | $17 00 |

## Assortment "C," $34.00.

| Pieces | Size | Total |
|---|---|---|
| 48 colored candles | 2 star | $0 84 |
| 36 " " | 3 " | 88 |
| 36 " " | 4 " | 1 25 |
| 24 " " | 6 " | 1 50 |
| 18 " " | 8 " | 1 44 |
| 18 " " | 10 " | 2 00 |
| 18 " " | 12 " | 3 12 |
| 36 sky rockets | 1 oz. | 1 25 |
| 24 " | 2 " | 1 17 |
| 24 " | 3 " | 2 00 |
| 18 " | 4 " | 2 31 |
| 12 " | 6 " | 2 25 |
| 12 cathrine wheels | extra large | 1 41 |
| 24 pin wheels | " | 1 10 |
| 72 blue lights | " | 1 15 |
| 36 serpents | 4 inch | 1 13 |
| 12 flower pots | 4 " | 81 |
| 6 triangle wheels | 1 oz. | 70 |
| 6 " " | 2 " | 1 00 |
| 6 mines of colored stars | No. 1 | 94 |
| 6 " " " | " 2 | 1 23 |
| 4 " " " | " 3 | 1 08 |
| 12 boxes red fire | | 1 05 |
| 9 miniature batteries | No. 2 | 75 |
| 24 ruby lights | " 4 | 1 16 |
| Chinese punks | | 48 |
| 1 show hill | | 00 |
| 1 case | | 00 |
| | | $34 00 |

## Assortment "D," $50.00.

| Pieces | | Size | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| 48 | colored candles | 2 star | $0 84 |
| 48 | " " | 3 " | 1 17 |
| 36 | " " | 4 " | 1 25 |
| 36 | " " | 6 " | 2 25 |
| 24 | " " | 8 " | 1 92 |
| 18 | " " | 10 " | 2 00 |
| 18 | " " | 12 " | 3 12 |
| 36 | sky rockets | 1 oz. | 1 25 |
| 24 | " | 2 " | 1 17 |
| 24 | " | 3 " | 2 00 |
| 12 | " | 4 " | 1 54 |
| 12 | " | 6 " | 2 25 |
| 6 | " | 8 " | 1 88 |
| 12 | flower pots | 4 inch | 81 |
| 72 | blue lights | extra large | 1 16 |
| 72 | serpents | 4 inch | 2 25 |
| 72 | pin wheels | extra | 3 30 |
| 24 | Chinese sprays | | 2 08 |
| 24 | catharine wheels | extra large | 2 82 |
| 6 | triangle wheels | 1 oz. | 71 |
| 6 | " " | 2 " | 1 00 |
| 2 | " " colored pots | 4 " | 1 00 |
| 2 | " " " " | ½ lb. | 1 46 |
| 6 | mines of colored stars | No. 1 | 94 |
| 6 | " " | " 2 | 1 23 |
| 6 | " " | " 3 | 1 63 |
| 3 | " " | " 4 | 1 19 |
| 2 | vertical wheels | 8 inch | 1 08 |
| 1 | " " colored pot | 10 " | 1 13 |
| 2 | China flyers " " | large | 1 33 |
| 3 | cans red fire | ¼ lb. | 1 13 |
| 2 | " green " | ¼ " | 75 |
| | Chinese punks | | 48 |
| 1 | show bill | | 00 |
| 1 | case | | 00 |
| | | | $50 00 |

## Assortment "E," $75.00.

| Pieces | | Size | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| 72 | colored caudles | 2 star | $1 25 |
| 72 | " " | 3 " | 1 75 |
| 48 | " " | 4 " | 1 67 |
| 48 | " " | 6 " | 3 00 |
| 36 | " " | 8 " | 2 88 |
| 24 | " " | 10 " | 2 66 |
| 18 | " " | 12 " | 3 12 |
| 12 | " " | 15 " | 3 04 |
| 48 | sky rockets | 1 oz. | 1 67 |
| 36 | " | 2 " | 1 75 |
| 24 | " | 3 " | 2 00 |
| 12 | " | 4 " | 1 54 |
| 12 | " | 6 " | 2 25 |
| 6 | " | 8 " | 1 88 |
| 24 | flower pots | 4 inch | 1 62 |
| 6 | bengal lights | ¼ lb. | 2 00 |
| 36 | catharine wheels | large | 4 25 |
| 72 | pin " | extra | 3 30 |
| 72 | blue lights | " | 1 15 |
| 72 | serpents | 5 inch | 2 75 |
| 12 | triangle wheels | 1 oz. | 1 42 |
| 12 | " " | 2 " | 2 00 |
| 2 | triangle wheels | 4 oz. | $1 00 |
| 2 | " " | ½ lb. | 1 46 |
| 12 | mines of stars | No. 1 | 1 87 |
| 6 | " " | " 2 | 1 23 |
| 6 | " " | " 3 | 1 63 |
| 3 | " " | " 4 | 1 19 |
| 2 | " " | " 5 | 1 17 |
| 3 | vertical wheels | 8 inch | 1 63 |
| 2 | " " | 10 " | 2 25 |
| 2 | china flyers | large | 1 33 |
| 2 | geysers | small | 1 43 |
| 6 | cans red fire | ¼ lb. | 2 25 |
| 3 | " green " | ¼ " | 1 13 |
| 2 | " blue " | ¼ " | 75 |
| 24 | miniature batteries | No. 2 | 2 00 |
| 24 | ruby lights | " 4 | 1 17 |
| 24 | Chinese sprays | | 2 08 |
| | Chinese punks | | 48 |
| 1 | show card | | 00 |
| 1 | case | | 00 |
| | | | $75 00 |

Containing assorted colors in every piece intended for private and public displays, each assortment making a distinct exhibition in itself.

## No. 1.
## Exhibition Assortment, $14.50.

12 colored candles.....large 6 star
6 exhibition candles..... 8 "
3 " " .....10 "
3 colored star rockets ..... 4 oz.
4 " " " ..... 6 "
3 " " " ..... 8 "
1 " China flyer..... large
1 " vertical wheel..... ... 8 inch
1 bengal light.....¼ lb.
1 colored triangle wheel.....¼ "
1 " " " ... ....½ "
1 mine of colored stars..... No. 4
1 " " " ..... " 5
3 colored flower pots..... 6 inch
1 " rosette ..... extra
2 " geysers ..... small
2 ¼ lb. cans red fire .....
1 ¼ " " green fire.....
1 bundle punk.....
Case..... .....

## No. 2.
## Exhibition Assortment, $22.00.

12 colored candles.....large 6 star
6 exhibition candles..... 8 "
3 " " .....10 "
6 colored star rockets..... 4 oz.
6 " " " ..... 6 "
4 " " " .....½ lb.
1 " China flyer..... large
3 " vertical wheel..... 8 inch
2 " triangle " .....½ lb.
1 " " " ..... 1 "
1 " flower pots.... ..... 6 inch
2 bengal lights.....¼ lb.
2 mines of colored stars..... No. 5
1 mine of gyrating serpents.... " 6
1 colored saucisson..... small
1 " floral bombshell..... "
2 " geysers ..... "
2 ¼ lb cans red fire.....
1 ¼ " can green fire.....
1 ¼ " " blue " .....
1 bundle punk.....
Case.....

## No. 3.
## Exhibition Assortment, $32.50.

12 colored candles.....large 8 star
6 exhibition candles..... 8 "
3 " " ..... .....10 "
3 electric spreader candles..... 8 "
6 colored star rockets..... 6 oz.
6 " " " .....½ lb.
3 exhibition " .....½ "
1 colored triangle wheel.....½ "
1 " " " ..... 1 "
1 " vertical " ..... 8 inch
1 " China flyer ..... large
1 " rosette.....ex. heavy
1 mine of colored stars..... No. 5
1 " " meteors..... " 7
2 bengal lights.....½ lb.
4 flower pots with handles ..... 6 inch
2 colored geysers..... small
1 " saucisson..... "
1 " floral bombshell..... "
2 ¼ lb. cans red fire.....
2 ¼ " " green fire.....
1 exhibition piece diamond star
1 bundle punk.....
Case .....

## No. 4.

## Exhibition Assortment, $50.00.

12 colored candles. . large 8 star
12 exhibition candles . . 8 "
6 golden shower candles. . 6 "
12 colored star rockets ..... ½ lb.
6 exhibition " .... .... ½ "
1 colored vertical wheel. . . .10 inch
2 " triangle wheels.....½ lb.
1 " " wheel..... 1 "
1 " China flyer . ..... large
1 mine of colored stars..... No. 5
1 " " meteors ..... " 7
1 " of feu de joie..... " 8
1 colored floral fountain .....
1 " prismatic fountain....
1 " saucisson..... .. small
1 " aerolite .....
2 " geysers ..... small
1 battery of colored stars..... "
1 package parade fire..... red
1 " " " ..... green
1 exhibition piece monitor battery
1 bundle punk.....
Case.... .....

## No. 5.

## Exhibition Assortment, $67.50.

12 colored candles.....large 10 star
12 exhibition candles..... 8 "
6 golden shower candles..... 6 "
3 electric spreader candles..... 8 "
12 colored star rockets.....½ lb.
12 exhibition " .....½ "
1 colored vertical wheel.....10 inch
2 " triangle wheels.....½ lb.
1 " " wheel..... 1 "
2 " China flyers..... large
1 " rosette wheel..... extra
1 mine of stars... ..... No. 5
1 " " colored meteors..... " 7
1 whistling jack mine..... " 10
1 devil among the tailors..... large
1 colored floral fountain.....
1 " prismatic fountain...
1 colored acrolite.....
1 " saucisson. ..... small
1 " floral bombshell..... "
2 " geysers ..... "
1 battery of colored stars ..... "
1 package parade fire..... red
1 " " " ..... ... green
1 exhibition piece illuminated battery
1 " " chaplet of roses
1 bundle punk.....
Case .....

## No. 6.

## Exhibition Assortment, $120.00.

12 colored candles.....large 10 star
12 exhibition candles.... ..... 8 "
6 golden shower candles..... 8 "
6 electric spreader candles..... 8 "
12 colored star rockets..... 1 lb.
6 exhibition " ..... 1 "
3 parachute " ..... 2 "
3 willow tree " ..... 2 "
2 colored triangle wheels.....½ "
1 double " wheel.....ex. heavy
1 vertical wheel.....10 inch
1 rosette " .....ex. heavy
1 China flyer..... extra
1 mine of gyrating serpents.... No. 6
1 " " meteor stars..... " 7
1 battery of stars..... small
1 colored saucisson..... "
1 dragon nest..... large
1 devil tailor..... "
1 surprise box. ..... "
1 Indian jugglery.....
1 colored prismatic fountain....
1 " floral " ....
1 " aerolite " ....
1 " floral bombshell.....
2 " geysers ..... small
2 packages parade fire..... red
1 " " " ..... green
1 exhibition piece diamond star
1 " " silver glory..
1 " " Chinese fan..
1 " " gallopade....
1 " " Mexican jets
1 bundle punk.....
Case .....

# FIRE CRACKERS

**At Market Rates When Ordered.**

| | | | | | Per box |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Small extra, No. 1, gold chop, | 40 pks. | of 52 | crackers, | in box | .....$ |
| Large extra, No. 1, " | 40 " | 76 | " | " | ..... |
| Shoo-fly, | 40 " | 52 | " | " | ..... |
| Shoo-fly, extra large size, | 40 " | 72 | " | " | ..... |
| California, extra, | 40 " | 80 | " | " | ..... |
| A No. 1 lady crks., ex. quality, | 40 " | 700 | " | " | ..... |
| Small pistol, 2¼ in. long, | 40 " | 72 | " | " | ..... |
| Large " 2½ " " | 40 " | 80 | " | " | ..... |
| Young America, 3½ in. long, | 20 " | 20 | " | " | ..... |
| Union, 4 " " | 20 " | 20 | " | " | ..... |
| Special extra (Dynamiters), | 40 " | 56 | " | " | ..... |

# CANNON CRACKERS.

Great Republic, 5 in. long, 20 packs of 20 crackers in box.....$

Constitution, 6½ " " 20 " 20 " " .....

Gold Dragon, No. 7, Cannon Crackers, 8 inches long, 10 pks. of 10 crackers in box, .....

# RED HEADS.

Small, per 100..... .....$

Large, " .....

# PUNK.

Punk, small, per package.....$

Punk, large, " .....

# EXTRA QUALITY TORPEDOES.

They are without Exception the Finest Goods in the Market.

## COMMON TORPEDOES.

Per case

50 in a pack, 100 packs in case.....$4 25

## GIANT TORPEDOES.

This is a very heavy reporting torpedo, and meets a long felt demand.

Per case

10 in a fancy folding box, 100 boxes in a case.....$4 25

## ELECTRIC TORPEDOES.

These are double extra in quality, with heavy report. Handsomely packed. Just the article for best retail trade.

Per case

25 in new style box, 50 boxes in a case.....$2 50

## IRONCLAD TORPEDOES.

A heavy reporting torpedo. It is a cat-teaser.

20 in a fancy box, 40 boxes in a case.....$3 50

## SILVER DRAGON TORPEDOES.

Made from silver foil and pure silver, Chinese style; very popular.

Per case

20 in a fancy box, 40 boxes in a case.....$4 75

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# PAPER CAPS.

Round, 50 in box, full count, packed one gross boxes in wood box, price per gross boxes..... 27½c

Mammoth, 50 in box, full count, packed ½ gross boxes in wood box, price per gross boxes.....$2 50

## FIREWORKS BALLOONS.

This is one of the most beautiful and interesting displays of fireworks. We have invented new fireworks attachments for these balloons, making a much finer display. By following these directions and the use of our patent fire protector, it is impossible for the balloon to catch fire in ascending.

Full directions for firing with each balloon.

| | Packed single, per dozen. |
|---|---|
| No. 5, with fireworks attachment | $17 00 |
| " 20, " " | 29 00 |
| " 25, " " | 43 00 |
| " 30, " " | 60 00 |

## JAPANESE FIGURE BALLOONS.

Lifelike representations of Japanese figures—grotesque aud amusing.

Price, ½ dozen in package, per dozen.....$8 00

## COLORED PAPER BALLOONS.

Variegated Colors.

| | Per dozen. |
|---|---|
| No. 6, ½ dozen in package | $ 2 00 |
| " 8, ½ " " | 3 00 |
| " 10, ¼ " " | 4 00 |
| " 15, 1-6 " " | 5 00 |
| " 20, packed single " | 7 00 |
| " 25, " " " | 10 00 |
| " 30, " " " | 13 00 |

# "STANDARD" BUNTING FLAGS.

## UNITED STATES REGULATION SIZES.

| Feet | Each. | Feet. | Each. | Feet. | Each. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | $ 4 70 | 12 | $10 00 | 20 | $24 50 |
| 7 | 5 10 | 14 | 13 50 | 25 | 35 00 |
| 8 | 5 50 | 16 | 16 50 | 30 | 50 00 |
| 10 | 8 00 | 18 | 20 00 | | |

Signal and foreign flags made to order at short notice.

## MUSLIN FLAGS ON STICKS.

Please note sizes as well as numbers.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| No. 1 | 2x3 | inches, per gross | | $ 35 |
| " 2 | 2½x4 | " " | | 42 |
| " 3 | 4x6 | " " | | 70 |
| " 4 | 4½x7½ | " " | | 92 |
| " 5 | 6x9 | " " | | 1 75 |
| " 6 | 8x14 | " per doz | | 31 |
| " 7 | 12x18 | " " | | 48 |
| " 7½ | 12x22 | " " | | 71 |
| " 8a | 14x24 | " " | | 82 |
| " 8 | 18x27 | " " | | 93 |
| " 9 | 20x36 | " " | | 1 60 |
| " 10 | 27x43 | " " | | 2 33 |
| " 11 | 30x50 | " " | | 3 17 |
| " 11½ | 35x56 | " " | | 3 75 |
| " 12 | 40x66 | " " | | 5 40 |

JAPANESE BUCKET

## AMERICAN BUCKET-SHAPED LANTERNS.

No. 4, 7 inch diameter, per hundred..... $ 3 75
" 5, 9 " " " ..... 6 00

## JAPANESE LANTERNS. 40 % off

No. 8, 8 inch diameter by 12 inches long, per hundred.....$ 5 25 3 15
" 10, 10 " " " 14 " " " " ..... 7 50
" 12, 12 " " " 16 " " " " ..... 10 50
" 263, Fancy, in various shapes, 9½ x 12 inches, per hundred.....10 50

Fine Lanterns, Lacquered Trimmings, assorted shapes, 10 x 14, per dozen..... 3 00
" " " " " " 11 x 16, " " ..... 4 00

## FAIRYLAND CUPS.

Made of glass, assorted colors, to be suspended from wires huug between trees or posts, or inside windows. They burn a short, broad candle, or oil with floating wick, and produce a fairy-like appearance when set around the edge of walks, or placed so as to produce a design of lettering.

In boxes of one dozen, assorted colors, per dozen.....$3 00
Starlight candles for fairyland cups, burning three hours, per dozen..... 30

## MOSS PAPER FESTOONING.

For decorating—Red, white and blue in one piece, or separate colors of red, white and blue, green and yellow.

Price, per roll.....$ 30

## DECORATION BUNTING.

65 to 80 yards in a bolt. Price per yard, 8c.

We do not sell less than full bolt.

# PAPER CAP PISTOLS.

We call your special attention to our line of pistols for this season. They are well made and beautifully finished; all have tempered steel springs.

**No. 603½**
**REVOLVER,**
**Length 5¾ Inches**
CUT SHOWS PATTERN.

No. 603½, largest five-cent pistol in the market. Japanned finish, packed one dozen in a box. Price per dozen.....$0 50

**No. 610.**
**REVOLVER,**
**Length 4 Inches.**
CUT SHOWS PATTERN.

No. 610, a little beauty. Finished in white nickel, packed two dozen in box. Price, per dozen.....$0 40

**No. 654.**
**COLT REVOLVER,**
**Length 7 Inches.**
CUT SHOWS PATTERN.

No. 654, a ten-cent leader. Finished in white nickel; packed one dozen in box. Price, per dozen.....$0 90

No. 655, same as 654. Japanned finish, packed one dozen in box. Price, per dozen..... 0 90

**No. 635.**

## SMITH & WESSON REVOLVER,

**Length 7¼ inches.**

CUT SHOWS PATTERN.

Per doz.

No. 635, beautifully finished in polished nickel; packed ½ dozen in box.....$1 30

No. 673, same as No. 635, finished in oxidized copper; packed ½ dozen in box..... 1 30

**No. 645.**

## LARGE COLT REVOLVER,

**Length 9¼ Inches.**

CUT SHOWS PATTERN.

Per doz.

No. 645, the largest and finest toy pistol in the market; finished in polished nickel, packed one in a box.....$2 50

No. 675, same as No. 645, finished in oxidized copper, packed one in a box..... 2 50

# Paper Napkins.

We have the only complete line in San Francisco, comprising twenty-five kinds, and quote a few standard sizes.

## PRICE LIST ON NAPKINS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12 x 12 inch, | White | $ .75 | per 1000 |
| 12 x 12 " | Colored Border | 1 00 | " |
| 14 x 14 " | White | 1.00 | " |
| 14 x 14 " | Colored | 1.25 | " |
| 16 x 16 " | White | 1.25 | " |
| 16 x 16 " | Colored | 1.75 | " |

**PLEASE WRITE FOR DISCOUNTS.**

# Scolloped Napkins.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 14 x 14 inch, | Ordinary Quality | $1.50 | per 1000 |
| 14 x 14 " | Medium " | 2.00 | " |
| 14 x 14 " | Fine " | 3.00 | " |
| 14 x 14 " | Extra " | 4.00 | " |
| 16 x 16 " | Medium " | 1.75 | " |

# Satchel Baskets.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 3 to a set, | Largest about 14 inch | $1.25 per set |
| 5 " " " | " 20 " | 2.50 " |

# Bamboo Telescope Baskets.

| | |
|---|---|
| 18 inch, 5 to a set | $1.25 |
| 20 " " " | 1.75 |
| 24 " " " | 2.75 |
| 27 " " " | 3.50 |

# Willow Telescopes.

| | |
|---|---|
| 20 inch, 5 to a set | $3.00 |

# SUN SHADES.

## WE HAVE NONE BUT THE BEST QUALITY.

| | |
|---|---|
| 28 inches when open | $0 08 |
| 30 " " " | 10 |
| 36 " " " | 12 |
| 72 " " " | 1 00 |
| 84 " " " | 1 50 |
| 8 feet " " | 2 00 |
| 10 " " " | 2 50 |
| 12 " " " | 3 50 |
| 14 " " " | 5 00 |
| 16 " " " | 8 00 |

These large shades are just what is needed for FOURTH OF JULY or BICYCLE PARADE.

## GET OUR DISCOUNTS.

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# SHAWL STRAPS.

## FOR TELESCOPE BASKETS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 5—4 feet, sole leather shield | per doz., | $1 50 |
| " 5—5 " " " | " | 1 75 |
| " 10—4 " wood, leather covered | " | 1 75 |
| " 10—5 " " " | " | 2 00 |

Many more on our Special List. Write for it.

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## SCHOOL STRAPS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 3-ft. long, strong pliable leather | per doz., | $0 40 |
| 4-ft. " " " " | " | 60 |
| 5-ft. " " " " | " | 75 |

# SLING SHOT

*It don't make a Noise, but it*

*gets there just the same*

## THE ADJUSTABLE

*That's what we call it*

And it's guaranteed to get more small boys

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Complete, with Crotch.....$1 25 per dozen

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# Silk Handkerchiefs.

## WHITE HEMSTITCH.

### Medium Quality.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 20 x 20 | Per dozen | $3 00 |
| 22 x 22 | " " | 4 00 |
| 24 x 24 | " " | 5 00 |

## HEAVY WEIGHT.

### Superior Quality.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 20 x 20 | Per dozen | $3 50 |
| 22 x 22 | " " | 5 00 |
| 24 x 24 | " " | 6 00 |

A full line of Silk Goods always ready for inspection.

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